# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION **TRANSMITTAL**

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First Named Inventor: Erozan M. Kurtas et al.

Title: TURBO DECODER ARCHITECTURE WITH MINI-TRELLIS SISO

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### **APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

1. [X] Fee Calculation Sheet (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)

- 2. [] Applicant claims small entity status
- 3. [X] Specification

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- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed. Sponsored R&D
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- **Detailed Description**
- Claims
- Abstract of the Disclosure
- 4. [X] Drawings (35 U.S.C. 113)

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- 5. [X] Oath or Declaration
  - a. [X] Newly Executed (original or copy) b. Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d) - for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

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- I. | DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
- Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)
- 6. [X] Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76.

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8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (If applicable, all necessary)

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- ii. [] Paper
- c. [] Statements verifying identify of above copies

#### ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

- [X] Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- [X] 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Submission
  - [X] Power of Attorney
- 11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
- [X] Information Disclosure Statement with copies of Citations as necessary
- Preliminary Amendment 13.
- Total Pages []
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- Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i). 16. Application must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent
- 17. Other

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: ☐ Division ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior Application No.

□ Continuation

Prior Application Information: Examiner \_ Group Art Unit \_ For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only \_\_\_\_\_\_ be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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Sir:

Enclosed are seven (7) sheets of formal drawings for filing in the above-identified application.

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